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DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop,

10th, 11th, F. & G. Sts., N. W.

Washington, D. C.

Store will close daily at 5 o'clock during the he ted term. The 1 o'clock closing on Saturdays will begin, as usual, the first Saturday after the Fourth of July. Will remain closed all day the Fourth.

BOYS' SUMMER CLOTHING

Half Price and Less.

We announce a special sale of Boys' Light-weight Cloth Suits (fresh goods, just from the cases) a half, nearly half and less than half former prices. They are just such suits as every boy will need for cool evenings and dress wear at the seashore and country or in town—and splendid for early fall.

Lot 1—Consists of 120 All-wool Suits, various styles, including two-piece straight pants, sailor blouse and Russian blouse. They are principally worsteds and serges, and are ends of lines of this season's goods—many one-of-a-kind styles. Sizes 2½ to 16, inclusive. A collection of splendid suits at the uniform price.

$2.65 for choice.

Values, $3.95, $5.00, and $6.00.

Lot 2—Consists of about 100 Suits of a slightly higher grade, in same styles, Russian blouse, sailor blouse, knickerbocker, and straight pants suits. They are carefully made and the patterns are very attractive. Sizes 2½ to 16, inclusive.

We offer these at the uniform price,

$3.65 for choice.

Values, $6.50, $7.50 and $8.50.

We also offer another lot of

Boys' Sample Wash Suits

At Half Price and Less.

About 50 dozen all told. All styles and all the most popular wash materials. We offer these at the same

Special price, 25c each.

Values, 50c, 75c, and $1.00.

Third floor—10th st

Tomorrow, Friday, Is REMNANT DAY.

"Bargain" is generally understood to mean more than ordinary value, and nowhere is this more exemplified than here, especially on Friday, when extraordinary efforts are put forward by every manager in the house to rid his or her particular department of all remnants—odds and ends, short lengths, broken sizes and assortments, &c.—thus insuring to shoppers the worth of their money many times over.

Bargain opportunities for tomorrow will abound—and the goods are just such things as are needed now for the personal use or the home.

Woodward & Lothrop.

EXCURSIONS.

Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Co.

Steamer Jamestown

Moonlight Excursions.

FORTY MILES DOWN POTOMAC RIVER, DAILY INCLUDING SUNDAYS

LEAVE 7:30 P. M. FROM EXCURSION PIER.

RETURNS 10:30 P. M.

Dancing : : Palm Garden

Fare - - 50 cents.

☞A few dates open for SPECIAL EXCURSIONS. For particulars apply to

W. H. CALLAHAN, Gen. Pass. Agt.

Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Company.

CONFECTIONERS.

FOR THE

FOURTH of JULY.

Leave your orders now at H. BLOCH'S, Who will serve you with the best Ice Cream, Water Ices, and everything in the confectionary line. City purchases delivered, and all orders promptly filled.

H. BLOCH,

615 King Street.

Both phones.

Pineapples.

Market now lowest of the season, best time for preserving them, 90c, $1.20, $1.50 per dozen.

PEACHES—We have a heavy shipment of peaches today, the quality and prices are right.

300 extra fine fresh Watermelons at surprisingly low prices; also a lot of fine Cantaloupes and Tomatoes.

J. M. PETTIT, Jr.,

717 King Street. Wholesale and Retail.

A better remedy is not made for Colds and La Grippe than Quybon. Get a box now. 10c and 25c at E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

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PUBLISHED DAILY AND TRI-WEEKLY AT GAZETTE BUILDING, 310 & 312 PRINCE STREET.

TERMS: Daily—1 year, $5.00; 6 months $2.50; 3 months, $1.25; 1 month, 43 cents; 1 week, 10 cents.

Tri-weekly—1 year, $3.00; 6 months, $1.50; 3 months, 75 cents; 1 month, 25 cents.

Marriage and death notices must be paid for in advance.

Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in the paper as advertisements.

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SENTENCE COMMUTED.

The State Board of Pardons at Boise, Idaho, yesterday commuted the sentence of Harry Orchard, who was under sentence to hang next Friday for the murder of former Governor Frank Steunenberg, to imprisonment for life.

Orchard was arrested two days after the assassination of former Governor Steunenberg at Caldwell, Idaho, December 30, 1905, and a few weeks later, while confined in the Idaho penitentiary, confessed his guilt to James McPartland, a well-known detective, at the same time asserting that he was employed to commit the crime by officers of the Western Federation of Miners. As a result of his confession Charles H. Moyer, president, and William D. Haywood, secretary-treasurer, of the Western Federation of Miners, and Charles D. Pettibone were arrested in Denver and brought to Idaho to answer the charge of murder.

John Simpkins, another member of the federation, was also indicted, and is still a fugitive. Haywood and Pettibone were acquitted after memorable trials, in which Orchard told a story of wholesale assassinations which shocked the world.

Following the trial of Pettibone the case against Moyer was dismissed.

Orchard, who was indicted separately, when arraigned after his confession, stood mute, and the court directed that a plea of not guilty be entered. His case was continued from term to term until April 10 of this year, when it was called at Caldwell, and he asked permission to change his plea. The court granted the request, and Orchard pleaded guilty to murder in the first degree.

In pronouncing the sentence of death, a week later, Judge Wood recommended that the Board of Pardons commute the sentence, saying he was firmly convinced that Orchard had told the whole and exact truth at the trials of Haywood and Pettibone, and that he was therefore, for the service he had rendered the state, entitled to clemency.

The board, in taking this action, acted on the recommendation of Judge Fremont Wood, made at the time of sentencing Orchard.

Orchard to the last was opposed to having the sentence interfered with. He said to the attorney that he hoped effort to save him from the gallows would fail.

ANOTHER SEA SERPENT.

A dispatch from Galveston says, what is confidently believed to be a sea serpent has been sighted and narrowly inspected by the officers, crew and 15 passengers of the steamship Livingstone of the Texas-Mexican Line. All of the witnesses made a sworn affidavit to this effect before United States Consular Agent Chas. W. Rickland at Frontera, Mexico.

The statement is signed by Capt. G. A. Oslen and the other officers and passengers of the steamer. In substance it declares that at three bells on the evening of June 24 the Livingstone, bound from Galveston to Frontera, Mexico, making good weather, and about 50 miles north of Frontera, in the Gulf of Mexico, the serpent was sighted on the port bow. The ship got within 60 feet of the creature, and for 15 minutes stood by while all on board viewed the serpent through glasses. It was apparently sleeping and was not less than 200 feet long, of about the diameter of a flour barrel in the center of the body but was not round. The head was about six feet long by three feet at the widest part.

The color was dark brown, and near its tail were rings or circles that appeared larger in circumference than the body at that point. As it swam away the tail was erected, and a rattling noise as loud as that made by a gatling gun in action startled the watchers on the Livingstone.

Twenty-Five Cents is the Price of Peace.

The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price, 25 cents. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

ATTEMPTED MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Patrick Manning, formerly janitor of police headquarters in Bayonne, N. J., but of late a detective for the Jersey Central Railroad, shot his wife three times yesterday afternoon, and then ended his life with carbolic acid. The woman is in the hospital in a critical condition. The shooting was witnessed by their sons, Vincent, twelve years old, and Bernard, ten years old. Manning and his wife went to Manhattan Tuesday on a shopping trip, and on the way home quarreled. Mrs. Manning left home at 8 o'clock Tuesday night, but returned yesterday morning. When she got back the quarrel was renewed, and Manning left, saying he would kill his wife when he returned. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Manning was in her bedroom when her husband returned. He was armed with a 38-caliber revolver, and at once opened fire.

Kodol will without doubt help anyone who has stomach disorders or stomach troubles. Take Kodol today and continue it for the short time that is necessary to give you complete relief. Kodol is sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Store will remain open late Friday night and will close at noon Saturday---July 4th.

Swan Bros

Corner King and Pitt Streets.

Big Special Sale for Four Days Only

On account of Saturday, July 4th, being a holiday, and as our store will close at noon on that day, we are going to have a big reduction sale, beginning WEDNESDAY MORNING with our Remnant Sale and continuing until noon Saturday, and all the Remnants will be kept on sale Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Besides the following big reductions from most all departments:

Big Bargains in Women's Wash Suits, Etc.

Ladies' $5.00 Linen Finish Wash Suits, in brown, tan and blue, special price, suit $3 75

Ladies' $6.50 Motor Cloth Wash Suits, special price, suit $4 49

Ladies' $6.50 Khaki Wash Suits, special price, suit $4 25

Ladies' $7.50 Khaki Wash Suits, special price $4 49

Ladies' $9.50 fine striped Silk Suits, special price $6 75

Ladies $6.98 Princess Dresses, neatly finished, pink, blue, white, lavender and tan, special price $4 98

Ladies' $3.49 Fancy Organdy Jumper Suits, special price $1 98

Ladies' $4.50 Fancy Organdie Jumper Suits, special price $2 75

Ladies' $5.00 White Cannon Cloth Suits, special price $2 98

Ladies' $6.50 White Cannon Cloth Suits, special price $3 98

Ladies' White Linen Finish Jackets.

Ladies' White Linen Finish Jackets carefully tailored and neatly trimmed.

Ladies' $3.49 White Linen Finish Jackets, each $2 39

Ladies' $4.25 White Linen Finish Jackets, each $2 75

Ladies' $6.50 White Linen Finish Jackets, each $4 49

Ladies' $1.00 White Cannon Cloth Skirts, each 85c

The following reductions are good only during this special sale—Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday:

Ladies' $1.50 Percale Wrappers, each ... $1 15

98c Fancy Striped Summer Curtains, pr 75c

15c Percales, yard 11c

10c Percales, yard 8c

25c French Dress Gingham, yard 18c

25c Silk Gingham, yard 17c

12½c Fancy Organdies, yard 8½c

7c and 8c Light and Dark Calico, yard 6c

25c Fancy Dress Voiles, yard 16c

15c Fancy Butchers' Cloth, for suits, yd 10½c

35c Table Damask, yard 25c

25c Table Damask, yard 21c

25c White Madras, yard 19c

25c Unbleached Sheeting, two yards wide, yard 19c

35c Unbleached Sheeting, 2¼ yards wide, yard 28c

75c and $1.00 Hair Brushes, salesmen's samples, each 49c

Ladies' 15c Fancy Laundered Collars, each 5c

35c Embroidery Banding, yard 19c

50c Fancy Sash Ribbon, eight inches wide, yard 35c

39c Swiss Sash Curtains with ruffles, 2½ yards long, pair 25c

75c Swiss Sash Curtains, 2½ yards long, pair 49c

75c Lace Nets, 45 to 54 inches wide, for waists and yokes, yard 49c

All 25c and 35c Beltings, yard 21c

15c plain color Cannon Cloths, yard 12½c

25c Brown and Black Voiles, yard 18c

Best Apron Gingham, Amoskeag and Lancaster, yard 6c

One bale 6c Unbleached Cotton, yard 5c

12½c White Persian Lawn, yard 8½c

12½c White Long Cloth, short pieces, yard 9½c

20c White Persian Lawn, 40 inches wide, yard 12½c

1,000 yards 12½, 15c and 20c Wide Lace and Insertings, yard 9c

50c Gingham Ridicules, each 39c

Five dozen Good Black Underskirts, each 49c

Ladies' 98c and $1.25 Sailor Hats, to close out, choice, each 49c

Ladies' 50c and 75c Sailor Hats, choice each 39c

35c Fancy Ribbons, yard 22c

50c Embroidery Bandings, yard 29c

Four pair good Corsets reduced from $3 pair to $1

95 dozen ladies' good Muslin Pants, neatly trimmed with hamburg, 39c value 27c

20 dozen ladies' 25c Cambric Corset Covers, each 19c

Six dozen Brass Curtain Rods, 10c quality, each 6c

Ladies' 75c Muslin Gowns, each 59c

Ladies' 25c Military Garters, pair 21c

25c Embroidery Banding, yard 15c

$1.00 white lawn and tailor made Waists, each 75c

20 dozen good Corset Covers, neatly trimmed, each 12½c

Ladies' thin black and tan Hose, 25c quality subject to slight imperfections, 2 pair for 25c

Children's 25c black lisle thread Hose, seconds, 2 pair for 25c

1,000 yards 8c and 10c bleached Muslin Remnants, yard 6c

2,000 yards 5c, 6c, 8c Torchon Laces, yard 3c

Good China Matting by the Roll

40 yards at reduced prices for four days only

$11.98 China Matting, the roll $9 98

$10.50 China Matting, the roll $9 25

$9.25 China Matting, the roal $4 25

$7.50 China Matting, the roll $6 49

One full size genuine cowhide Suit Case, elegantly mounted, reduced from $15 to $12 50

Bargains in Men's Furnishing Department.

During our four days special sale, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the following men's goods will be sold at reduced prices.

One case men's 50c Balbriggan Underwear, short sleeve shirts and long Drawers, each 39c

One lot men's good initial Handkerchiefs, each 9c

Ten dozen men's good 50c negligee shirts, choice 35c

One good Leather Hand Bag, reduced from $2.49 to $1 25

One good Leather Hand Bag, reduced from $5.00 to $3 49

One good $6.00 Leather Hand Bag, reduced to $3 50

Two metal covered Trunks, reduced from $2.25 to $1 69

Two Men's Good Turkish Bath Robes, reduced from $4.50 to $3 50

One lot Men's Fast Color Half Hose, 6 pair to the box, regular price $1.00, special price 85c

One lot Men's Regular 50c, Extra Size, Balbriggan Drawers, sizes 46 to 48, choice 35c

Fire Sale

The $20,000 stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Etc., of the

LOZANO DRY GOODS CO.

Will be sold at 117 North Fairfax Street, sale commencing

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 2

at 9 o'clock. The entire stock will be sold regardless of cost.

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HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

SPECIAL $3.50 Reed Rocker.

While the limited stock lasts we will sell this large comfortable Rocker at

$2.65

M. RUBEN & SONS

401 King Street.

Selected LARGE PRUNES and Choice Evaporated APPLES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES

Lights Differ

in their intensity. Our Electric Lamps, Candles, etc., are adapted for all purposes. Of the utmost brilliancy or but a gentle glow. The new Turn Up and Turn Down Light is a great improvement, and needs but to be seen to be appreciated. Electric Bells, Burglar Alarms installed anywhere at remarkably reasonable rates. Let us illuminate your darkness with our dazzling devices. Examine our stock.

Alexandria Electric Co.

502 King st. Bell 'Phone 193.

LOWER PRICES ON BACON.—Old Missouri Hams, 15c; Mild Cured Hams, 15c; Breakfast Strips, 15c. J. C. MILBURN.

ROSENFELD'S

One Price to All.

Satisfaction or Money Back.

A $5 COOL COAT SUIT at $2 50

For the Woman with a 4th of July outing on hand. These suits are made of extra quality linen finish in the most wanted colors.

$5 Jumper Dresses Reduced to $2.50

Made of the best of Ginghams and Fancy Plaids.

$1.50 WOMEN'S WASH SUITS, white or colored, reduced to - - - **$1.00**

ROSENFELD'S,

Both 'Phones. Both 'Phones.

518-20 King St., Alexandria, Va.

LADIES.

Series No. 198 is closing up rapidly. This is the monthly stock upon which sixty cents is paid each month per share.

YOU

Can pay $3.00 per month on five shares, whether you are housekeeping or sensibly and thriftily earning something for yourself in store or office.

Drop us a card and our representative will call.

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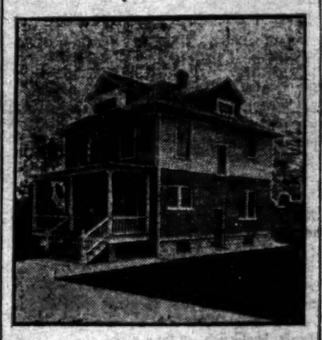

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119 South Fairfax Street

Alexandria, Va.

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For Sale.

At Beautiful Braddock Heights six and one half acres of land improved by seven-room frame dwelling and outbuildings and fine fruit orchard. This property is located in the highest part of

Braddock Heights

and commands a magnificent view of the surrounding country

A desirable ten-room brick dwelling on upper King Street, with all modern improvements. Well rented.

One-half square of ground bounded by Wilkes street, Payne and West streets, adjoining the property of the Southern Railway Company. Excellent location for manufacturing purposes.

Large number of well-located dwellings and building lots in the growing subdivisions of Del Ray St. Elmo and Braddock Heights

For price and terms apply to

JOHN D. NORMOYLE

Room 3, Alexandria Nat'l Bank Bldg.

King and Royal Streets.

Bell 'Phone 224. Capital City 'Phone 124

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Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation,

Capital Paid in, $300,000.

Authorized Capital, $1,000,000.

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whenever you want one. If you have an electric fan you have a refreshing breeze when others are complaining there is "not a breath of air stirring."

We'll Supply the Electric Fan

and all the connections, including the wiring of your building. You should certainly have the wiring done in any event. It will put at your convenience a variety of electrical conveniences that once enjoyed you will wonder how you ever got along without.

Alexandria Electric Co.

502 King st. Bell 'Phone 193.

If you wish Extra Fine TEAS try my New Crop of Green and Black Teas at one dollar per pound. J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

$7.50 Extra Size SILK PETTICOATS

$4.39

These Petticoats are made of wear-well chiffon taffeta, in black and colors; neatly finished with tailored seams; flounce finished with rows of fine tucks and stitching; full foundation and dust ruffle; regular $7.50 value. Special,

$4.39

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SPECIAL ATTENTION TO FAMILY TRADE.

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J. & H. AITCHESON,

118 King Street Alexandria, Va

FOR SALE

Several small pieces of beautiful land for sale containing from

ONE TO SIX ACRES EACH.

Also lots 50x130 feet SINGLY OR IN GROUPS, convenient to railroads and about one mile from Alexandria and five from Washington city. Terms to suit.

R. F. KNOX.

115 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va

Fourth of July Rates.

Southern Railway announces greatly reduced fares in effect account Fourth of July celebration; tickets on sale July 2nd, 3rd and 4th, final limit July 8th, 1908.

For further information apply to ticket agents.

Culpeper Horse Show, Culpeper, Va., July 3-4, 1908.

Account of above, Southern Railway will operate July 3 and 4 special excursion trains Alexandria to Culpeper and return; leave Alexandria 7:00 a. m. arrive Culpeper 9:30 a. m.; returning, leaving Culpeper 6.30 p. m. Stop will be made in both direction at show grounds.

Connection will be made in each direction at Calverton from and to Warrenton both days of the show; leave Warrenton 8:00 a. m., arrive Calverton 8:25 a. m.; returning, leave Calverton 7.45 p. m.

Round trip tickets will be sold July 2, 3 and 4 from all stations, Washington, Bluemont, Harrisonburg, Front Royal, Warrenton, Lynchburg and intermediate; final return limit, July 6, 1908.

Short train service, as usual, will be operated between Culpeper and the show grounds.

Annual Meeting Grand Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, Dallas, Tex., July 12-18.

On account of the above the Southern Railway has arranged low round trip rates from all coupon points on its lines. Dates of sale July 9, 10 and 11; return limit leaving Dallas not later than August 8. Stop-overs west of Mississippi river on going trip only. For further information consult nearest Southern Railway agent or write L. S. Brown, General Agent, Washington, D. C.

Summer School for Colored Teachers.

From June 29 to July 28 there will be held at the Manassas Industrial School, Manassas, a Summer Institute for colored teachers. This school will be conducted under the auspices of the Department of Public Instruction of the State. An examination will be conducted at the close of the session by Dr. H. M. Clarkson, County Superintendent of Schools. For information as to terms and course of study, write LESLIE PINCKNEY HILL, Conductor, Manassas, Va.

Low Week-End Round Trip Fares.

Continuing each Saturday and Sunday to and including October 4, the Southern Railway announces the sale of low rate week-end tickets for the round trip, Washington and Alexandria to Somerset, Warrenton, Harrisonburg, Bluemont and intermediate points, and from these stations to Alexandria and Washington, limited returning until Monday following date of sale.

Reduced Rates

Summer School for Teachers, Tuscaloosa, Ala., June 10-July 21, 1908. Dates of sale June 9, 10, 13, 15, 20, 22, 29; July 4 and 9. Return limit 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

Summer School of the South, Knoxville, Tenn., June 23-July 31, 1908—Dates of sale June 21, 22, 23, 27, 28; July 4, 5, 11 and 19. Return limit 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

Summer School, Athens, Ga., June 29-July 31, 1908—Dates of sale June 27, 28, 29; July 4, 6, 11 and 18. Final return limit 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

Tourist Excursion Fares.

The Southern Railway announces effective June 1st resumption of sale of tourist excursion tickets to points in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, etc., and return. These tickets will be on sale daily until September 30; final return limit October 31, unless otherwise specified. For further information apply to nearest coupon ticket agent, Southern Railway.

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 2, 1908.

MR. HEARST'S contest against Mayor McClellan, of New York, has been dismissed by Judge Lambert and a jury. Mr. McClellan has been unnecessarily worried, but the contest has made lots of publicity for William R. Hearst and his newspapers, and that was of much more importance than getting the mayoralty. The question why Mr. McClellan opposed the recount was easily answered by the gentleman himself, who in a statement issued on Tuesday night states that he has been forced to pay out $40,000 to defend his title, not including counsel fees which are still unpaid. The mayor directs attention to the fact that, "The result of this enormous expense and this protracted litigation has been to increase my total vote and to diminish my official plurality by about 500 disputed ballots." Mayor McClellan says that he has no regrets as to the course he pursued, and that he feels that the controversy will discourage the bringing of election contests of this sort in the future. He said that had he suspected that his election was the result of fraud, he would have acted differently.

A MAGNIFICENT highway extending from Washington to Gettysburg, Pa.,—a distance of 72 miles—as a national memorial to Abraham Lincoln, is the recommendation made yesterday by James T. McCleary, second assistant postmaster general and formerly a member of Congress from Minnesota, to the Abraham Lincoln Memorial Commission. Mr. McCleary's recommendation is contained in a preliminary report to the commission, of which he is a member. A memorial to Washington in the shape of a highway extending from Washington to Mount Vernon was planned many years ago and the people of this city and county spent their money and gave the right of way over their lands for such purpose, but Congress could never be persuaded to make an appropriation looking to the construction of such a road. Had Mount Vernon been on the other side of the river, however, the road, it is believed by many, would long ago have been built.

THE International Paper Company has cut wages 10 per cent. The newspaper publishers recently showed that concern was founded upon the tariff that it had raised the price of paper to the consumers, and that the wages it paid were small. And now those wages are cut 10 per cent, though there is no reduction of prices or of duties. During the fall the employes will be implored to vote for Taft lest the terrible democrats should reduce the tariff, and that, of course, would reduce their wages. For the latter they have not had to wait for a democratic victory.

LOTTERY and prize contest promoters are running to cover under a sharp campaign now being conducted against them by the Postoffice Department. It is estimated that the close scrutiny now exercised over all publications has resulted in the exclusion from the second-class privilege of periodicals aggregating 25,000,000 circulation. These were all cheap publications, bulging with "free" offers and prize contests akin to lotteries.

Many of the telegrams which now appear in the papers stating what Mr. Bryan is doing and saying and what he will do should be taken cum grano salis. Several of the press associations are opposed to Mr. Bryan, and do not seem disposed to do him justice.

SECRETARY BONAPARTE is sure that the only way to reach the trusts is to fine them. Most other people think that cutting off their tariff protection would make them more miserable and moreover help those who consume trust products.

THE SUMMER exodus has already commenced. Many while away will wish they were back at home, and many others when they return will regret that they had not staid at home.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, July 2.

Luke E. Wright, the new secretary of war, settled down to the work of his office today. He arrived at the office at 9:30 o'clock with Gen. Bell, chief of staff from Fort Meyer, where the former is temporarily a guest of the latter. They came in to town in an automobile taking former Secretary of War Taft and Mrs. Taft who are also guests at the Bell military home until the departure of Mr Taft tomorrow for Hot Springs. Secretary Wright stated that one of the first questions he took under consideration was that of the appointment of a new chief of engineers. This subject was discussed between him and Mr. Taft and the president at Oyster Bay Saturday. He stated that the president has several officers under consideration and the appointment will be made before the end of this week. It is understood in army circles here that the plum will fall to Col. Wm. L. Marshall in charge of river and harbor work at New York.

About three hundred people assembled at Masonic Temple this morning to hear the Rev. Gilbert F. Williams, former pastor of Christ Episcopal Church, proclaim his innocence of an act of immorality which caused him to be unfrocked ten years ago. Many women were in the audience. A detail of police was on hand, as it was thought there would be need for their services, but such was not the case.

Albert W. Brickwood, jr., American consul at Puerto Cortez, Honduras, cabled the State Department today announcing the escape of Francis G. Bailey, president of the Export Shipping Company of New Jersey from the Norwegian steamer in the harbor of that port night before last. Mr. Brickwood states that Bailey went over the side of the ship at night and escaped in a small boat, which was found on the beach yesterday. The American authorities have asked the government of Honduras to recapture Bailey. Bailey, who recently escaped from New York had been taken aboard the Norwegian steamer by New York police officials to be returned to the United States for trial.

Confident that the democratic party will come forth as a savior of labor, in its platform, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, left the capital late this afternoon for the Denver convention. He will stop off a few hours in Chicago to learn which way the wind blows down at Lincoln, Neb., and will then continue his trip in company with several lieutenants. The party will arrive in Denver Sunday afternoon about 6 o'clock. The fight for an unqualified anti-injunction plank, which is the particular desire of the labor men, will be enlivened Monday by a meeting of the executive council of the American Federation at the Tremont Hotel where the labor headquarters will be established.

The identity of the thief who stole the registered mail pouch containing nearly $50,000 at Kansas City, Mo, about three weeks ago, is still as much in doubt as it was at first, investigation having disclosed the fact that the negro, Charles Stevens, alias Savage, arrested yesterday at Monroe, Mich., is not the man wanted.

The president today appointed Col. William L. Marshall as chief of the engineer corps of the army to succeed General Alexander McKenzie retired for age. Colonel Marshall is at present in charge of the engineer work in New York harbor.

Ratifications of the arbitration treaty of the United States and Japan will be exchanged at Washington within a few days. The treaty, which was ratified by Japan on July 1, was among those ratified by the Senate shortly before adjournment.

Citizen Taft without an office and only a partially dismantled residence, received callers on the second floor of his house today. Speaker Cannon was the only important visitor Mr. Taft received this morning. He is in town till Monday to take up the matter of the investigation of the heating and lighting of the new House office building. In conversation he said: "In a few days we will see another candidate nominated and the two armies will be up and marching. In one of these I shall take my place whether as private, captain, or colonel, and I will do whatever work is expected of me. My army is the best one I know of and we are going to keep up the policies that have been to the interest and advantage of the people." Mr. Taft will hold a conference with Frank Hitchcock for the chairmanship problem tomorrow before he leaves Washington but no announcement will be made until he meets the committee at Hot Springs.

A fact which may fortell the political fall of Senator Foraker, of Ohio, is that Representative Burton of the same State has gone to Hot Springs, Va., to be in daily conference with Mr. Taft regarding the situation in Ohio.

The new cruiser North Carolina which had been to Guantanamo, Cuba, on her "shake down" cruise arrived today off Cape Lookout, N. C, for the purpose of officially receiving the elaborate silver service which is to be presented by the officials of the State July 4. There has been considerable friction among North Carolina officials as to the date of presentation.

It was decided today that the formal notification of Taft of his nomination will occur at Cincinnati on July 28.

EXPRESS CO. TO LOSE BUSINESS

Express companies have just awakened to the fact that they are not likely to carry any small silver coin for the government this year, thereby losing $60,000 in charges. All of this is because of an amendment slipped into the sundry civil appropriation bill at the last session of Congress by John Wesley Gaines, Tennessee's foe of corporations, who has just been defeated by trust money for re-nomination.

Mr. Gaines' amendment provides that one-half of the $60,000 appropriation for the transportation of coin shall be expended for registered mail. It was supposed that the express companies would get the remaining $30,000. Since then Mr. Daskam, chief of the bureau of public moneys, has ruled that the law means that $30,000 should be expended by registered mail before any part of the appropriation is expended for express charges. It is believed at the Treasury Department that as the charges for registering a package is only 8 cents, $30,000 will be sufficient to pay the entire cost of transporting coins under this system for a year, and the express companies will therefore get none of the business.

THE STATE'S BUILDING.

The last of the State buildings at the Jamestown Exposition was sold yesterday to William R. Cook and Company, of Norfolk, when the negotiations for the purchase of the Maryland building were closed. The price paid for this handsome structure was $2,000. It will be used as a private residence.

For several months Mr Cook and his associates have been dealing with the various State commissioners for their buildings, and it is understood that this firm and a few private individuals have at last taken over the entire State row from the commission, and will use the majority of the structures for private residences.

The Maryland building cost, without furniture, $36,000.

The making of a verbal bet at a race does not constitute a crime. This was the decision of Supreme Court Justice Bischoff in New York today who today discharged from custody Melville Collins, recently arrested charged with making a verbal bet.

News of the Day.

Cabin John Hotel, with 70 acres of land, near Washington, was sold yesterday to a syndicate for about $125,000.

All the Republic Iron and Steel Company mills have ceased operation, as the union agreement and wage scale have expired.

Montana was the last State to hold its democratic convention. The convention instructed its delegates to vote for Bryan as long as his name was before the convention at Denver.

After July 4 all flags made for the use of the government will contain forty-six stars in the field or union, to conform in number to the states. The additional star follows the admission of Oklahoma to the family of states.

The engineer, firemen and a number of passengers of the Texas and Pacific passenger train which left El Paso yesterday afternoon are reported killed by dispatches just received from Boracho, Texas. The train, so the telegrams say, ran into a washout early this morning and the engine and two coaches plunged over a high embankment.

Walter J. Barnett, formerly vice president and general counsel of the Western Pacific Railway and vice president and general counsel of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, which failed in San Francisco last November for about $9,000,000, was yesterday sentenced to the San Quentin penitentiary for 10 years by Superior Judge Conley.

Vice President Fairbanks, who will visit Quebec, Canada, as the official representative of the United States government at the celebration of the foundation of the Canadian city, will have as his military aide Maj. T. Bentley Mott, 4th Field Artillery, stationed at Fort Sheridan. Maj. Mott was formerly stationed at Paris as military attache of the United States embassy, and is familiar with the language and customs of the French. He is a native of Leesburg and has many friends in this city and vicinity.

Virginia News.

Thomas Bolling, brother of General Stith Bolling, of Petersburg, died yesterday in Nottoway county.

The State building at the Jamestown exposition represented nearly a half million dollars expenditure.

Thomas Fitzgerald, Harry K. Wolcott and Hugh M. Kerr were yesterday appointed at Norfolk receivers for the Norfolk and Southern Railroad on petition of the Trust Company of America, joined by the railroad. Today they took over the road as receiver.

Governor Swanson has granted a respite to Lee Strother, the Madison county negro, who was sentenced to die July 10th for the assault on a white girl of that county some months ago. There is an application pending for a commutation of the sentence to life imprisonment.

Clarence W. Douglas, a merchant of Lodge, Northumberland county, on Tuesday shot John Purcell, of near that place, in the foot with a shotgun and after the shooting beat the prostrate man over the head with the gun. Douglas and Purcell got into a dispute over an account and Douglas ordered Purcell away from his store.

Governor Swanson has accepted the vice-presidency of the International Congress on Tuberculosis that is to be held in Washington under the auspices of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, from September 21 to October 12. Among the members of the Virginia committee having the Congress in charge is Dr. Hugh McGuire, of this city.

BYRD LAW DEFECTIVE.

An important case, involving the validity of the Byrd law, prohibiting the sale of liquors to habitual drunkards, was decided in Manchester yesterday. The case resulted in two grave defects in the law being pointed out, with the result that the two persons on trial were acquitted. Mayor Maurice sat in the case.

Connie Dobbins, proprietor, and Clifton Elder, bar-tender, were charged by Mrs. George Stein with selling liquor to her husband, "an habitual drunkard," after she had written a letter to the proprietor asking him not to sell to her husband. In addition to a number of witnesses testifying to Stein's habits, Chief of Police Lipscomb stated that Stein had been before the court repeatedly for drunkenness; that Stein had been made to take the pledge, put under bond and sent to jail, but that all efforts to reform him had been futile.

Ernest Wells, of counsel for the prisoners, said that the Byrd law did not even attempt to define an habitual drunkard, and that, therefore, the charge of selling to such a one could never be proved, nor could a conviction be procured under this law. He said that the Byrd law placed the responsibility of deciding that a man was not entitled to any liquor on the bartender, and that in this case the accused had proved that so far as they were concerned Stein was not an habitual drunkard, and was, therefore, entitled to buy liquor from them the same as any other man. Mr. Wells maintained that the highest courts in the land differed as to what constituted an habitual drunkard, and it was, therefore, all the more impossible for Dobbins and Elder to say who is or is not an habitual drunkard.

Mayor Maurice, in rendering his decision, said: "There is some doubt as to what really and legally constitutes an habitual drunkard. Since my own knowledge has been called in the case I am bound to say I do not believe Dobbins knew of Stein's habits. I discharge you both, and now and here warn every bartender in Manchester not to sell a drink of liquor of any kind to George Stein."

Fast Battleship.

London, July 2.—A battleship of 17,250 tons displacement crossing the Atlantic at the unprecedent speed of 28 knots an hour. This is what England is promising when the Prince of Wales sails for Canada on the Indomitable for the Quebec tercentenary. The trial trip of the Inflexible yesterday, however, shows that the claims for the Indomitable are well founded. The Inflexible is a sister ship of the Indomitable. In her trial trip on the Clyde she made close at 27 knots. The Indomitable, which contains many new features of naval construction, is said to be even faster than the Inflexible. When the Indomitable sails the order will be given to push the giant vessel for every ounce of her speed the entire voyage.

Today's Telegraphic News.

Writ of Error.

[Special dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., July 2.—The Court of Appeals today allowed a writ of error and supersedeas in the case of the Washington, Southern Railway against Robert M. Cheshire from the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria.

The case was tried before Judge Aitken who came here especially for that purpose. The jury gave the plaintiff damages in the sum of $1,000 for injuries claimed to have been sustained by a turntable the property of the defendant company.

The Denver Convention.

Denver, July 2.—It begins to look like a simple case of arithmetic so far as the nomination for vice-president and the determination of platform questions are concerned. Diligent search throughout Denver fails to reveal more than three persons who are not willing to wager that Bryan will have more than the necessary two-thirds—668 votes—on the first ballot next Wednesday or Thursday. These are Frederick B. Lynch, official custodian of the Johnson boom and the firm of Morvel and Beamish, promoters of the Gray candidacy. The Bryanites claim at least 750 votes on the initial roll call. With the nomination of the head of the ticket thus settled, the trend of discussion has drifted in the direction of the vice-presidency and certain features of the platform. Considered mathematically, there can be no other conclusion than that a man acceptable to the Fairview farmer will be accepted for his running mate and that the platform will be one approved by him.

The fact seems to have been overlooked that whereas a two-thirds vote is required to nominate the candidates, only a majority is necessary to adopt the report of the committee on resolutions. With Bryan even more securely in control of the national committee and the prospective resolutions committee than Taft was at Chicago, it is difficult to understand how a majority of the 1,002 delegates could be induced to vote against the policies which he represents.

In the matter of the vice presidential nomination and disputed planks of the platform, it may be stated on the authority of one of the Nebraskan's closest friends that he is not of a dictatorial character. Bryan will be entirely satisfied with any one of a number of men who have been proposed for second place on the ticket.

The impression prevails that Judge Gray is his favorite, but it is known that Bryan has lent encouragement to the aspirations of Charles A. Towne, of New York.

As to the platform, Bryan will be willing to compromise, to a certain extent, with the ideas of the so-called conservative element of the party. He will insist that the policies upon which he will go before the voters of the country shall be progressive, but not necessarily radical.

There will be an anti-injunction plank, but it will not be so broad as has been demanded by labor leaders. In other words, Bryan, as the choice of more than two-thirds of the delegates to the convention, will exercise the right to veto both as to the planform and his running mate.

A considerable boost was given today to the candidacy of W. G. Conrad, of Montana, a native Virginian and a simon-pure Bryanite, by reason of the instructions of the Montana state convention held yesterday. The Conrad boomers expect to obtain generous support from the south where he is said to be well and favorably known.

Chicago, July 2.—Charles F. Murphy, high chief of Tammany; Judge Alton B. Parker, Leads Nixon, Chairman Conners and sixteen other Tammany braves, arrived here today from New York and all but Parker departed at once for Denver, where they will mingle in the preliminary "doings" of the democratic national convention. Judge Parker announced that he would follow his fellow-democrats at 2 p. m. Murphy was asked if he believed the platform would contain any radical planks, such as the anti-injunction plank advocated by Samuel Gompers, and he replied that he did not think so, believing that the platform would be "mild and sane."

Socialist Labor Party.

New York, July 2.—Seventy-one men gathered at Arlington Hall today, their purpose being the naming of a national ticket in opposition to the socialist party and the fighting what they term class organization in the socialist party.

The men represented 18 state organization of socialist labor party of America, delegated to vote for their locals until a complete national ticket has been named and placed on the ballot slips in the presidential election of 1908.

After the selection of John Kircher, of Cleveland, Ohio, as temporary chairman speaking began to tell of what is expected of the party during the present campaign. Prominent men in the socialist labor movement declared that the same platform as adopted at the national convention of 1904 would be adopted with minor changes on Saturday. The men prominently mentioned for nomination for president are James P. Hunter, a silversmith of Providence, R. I. and Robert R. Downey, a physician of Virginia.

The platform to be adopted by the convention advocates ownership of the machinery of the government, transportation facilities, means of produce and the collective ownership of land. The platform also advocates the abolishment of so-called class rule, bitterly attacking the socialist party as headed by Eugene Debs for making distinctions between social and working conditions. The convention will be in session for four days, the nominations being made on Saturday.

SCIENCE PREVENTS BALDNESS.

The Fatal Germ and Its Remedy Now Facts of Science.

It is the rarest thing in the world for a man to be necessarily bald. No man whose hair is not dead at the roots, need be bald if he will use Newbro's Herpicide, the new scalp antiseptic. Herpicide destroys the germ that cuts the hair off at the roots; and cleans the scalp of dandruff and leaves it in a perfectly healthy condition. Mr. Mansell, in the Maryland Block, Butte, Mont., was entirely bald in less than a month Herpicide had removed the enemies of hair growth, and nature did its work by covering his head with thick hair an inch long, and in six weeks he had a normal suit of hair.

Sold by Ramsey L. Allen & Co., agents. Two sizes 50c and $1.00. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. 60

The Market.

Georgetown P. C., July 2.—Wheat 77-85.

The Poisoning of Dr. Wilson.

Philadelphia, July 2.—The search for evidence in connection with the killing of Dr. W. H. Wilson by cyanide of potassium continues today. Two woman and a man, the latter husband of a woman who is alleged to have died by a criminal operation under the doctor's hands, are suspected and should certain proof be obtained they may be arrested at any hour. One of the women is said to be this man's sister and the other a relative of the poisoned doctor. The latter is believed to have ransacked the Wilson villa at Cornwells, Pa., after the death of the physician.

That there were many who suffered at Wilson's hands is indicated by the receipt of denunciatory letters by the officials and newspapers of the city. One of the letters reads:

"Praise to the slayer of Dr. Wilson of north Seventh street, the meanest white man that lived. He charged unwilling mothers $200 for pretended natural relief. A fake drug man. City Hall knows all about him. Hell too good for him."

Head-on Collision.

Sedalia, Mo., July 2.—Meeting head-on in a heavy fog that shut out the view until too late to avert the catastrophe while traveling at high speed, the California limited, one of the crack trains on the Missouri Pacific Railroad, which left St. Louis last night and the St. Joseph express, eastbound, were wrecked near Knobnoster, 20 miles east of here, early today. Locomotives, tenders, mail cars and forward coaches of both trains were reduced to splinters. Fire broke out in the debris after the wreck.

Seven persons were killed and a score severely hurt, according to latest services. Failure of the limited to take a siding is said to have caused the wreck.

Most of the passengers were asleep when the crash came. They were hurried from their seats or berths and those in the forward cars plunged beneath the debris.

The Revolution in Mexico.

San Antonio, Texas, July 2.—All doubt regarding the genuineness of the Mexican revolution was removed by the discovery here today of complete plans for the uprising in the office of the Sociedad Benevolencia, an alleged Mexican fraternal order.

The officials of the society were arrested and will either be spirited across the Mexican border or an attempt made to extradite them. Should they be returned to Mexico a death penalty will surely await them.

Reports of little outbreaks are still coming in, though Mexican soldiers are in complete control of the situation.

Twelve of the revolutionists were shot to death near Las Vacas by a company of Rurales. United States troops are watching the situation closely at Del Rio.

Six Hundred Persons Drowned.

Victoria, B. C., July 2.—Six hundred persons have been drowned in a storm in Japan, according to advices received here today by the steamship Empress of China. The disaster occurred in the harbor of Batavia. A large number of heavily loaded vessels were in the harbor at the time, and many were capsized, throwing their passengers into the water. Fishermen rescued a large number, but more than 600 perished. Passengers on the Empress describe the struggles of the drowning people as terrible. Many fought frantically with those nearby to reach safety, reaching the big vessels only to be crowded overboard again. Others were eaten by sharks which infested the water. Before the Empress left the vicinity 359 corpses had been recovered from the water many badly mutilated by sharks.

Bishop Potter's Condition.

Cooperstown, N. Y., July 2.—Fighting off death with a vitality which has amazed his physicians Bishop Potter, of New York, is still battling with his disease at Fernleigh, the family home here. That there is practically no hope of his survival is admitted by Dr. Imogene Basseit, the woman physician to whose constant ministrations Bishop Potter largely owes his grip of life.

From all over America and from abroad messages and cables of inquiry are arriving hourly. The replies to these hold out no hope of recovery.

Bishop Potter's physicians issued the following bulletin this morning:

"Bishop Potter's condition continues practically the same as last evening. He has apparently not lost ground but continues in a very critical state."

Attempt to Dynamite Residence.

Pittsburg, July 2.—Four persons were badly injured in McKeesport early today when alleged members of the "Black Hand" society attempted to dynamite the home of George Deavotoria, a prosperous shoemaker. The Deavotoria's home was partly wrecked and a neighboring home was badly damaged.

Deavotoria had received three letters within the last month, threatening death unless he left $2,000 under the Fort Wayne Railroad bridge before July 1. To these he paid no attention and the explosion was the result.

Congressman Sherman.

Cleveland, July 2.—Congressman James S. Sherman, accompanied by his wife and Dr. Carter, left for his home at Utica at 8 a. m. today. He was taken from Lakeside Hospital to the depot in former Governor Herrick's automobile and was removed from that to the train in an invalid chair. Mrs. Sherman was also too weak to walk from the automobile.

New York Stock Market.

New York, July 1.—The market was strong in the early trading and fractional gains were made in many stocks during the first half hour. The higher bids were quickly supplied and then prices receded. Pennsylvania 4's sold at 101 3-4 for the first time since the new issue was made. At the end of the hour the majority of stocks traded in showed small fractional gains.

After the first hour market ruled strong at the slightest net gains established in the earlier trading and the dealings were without importance and extremely small in volume.

Help for Those Who Have Stomach Trouble.

After doctoring for about twelve years for a bad stomach trouble, and spending nearly five hundred dollars for medicine and doctors' fees, I purchased my wife one box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which did her so much good that she continued to use them and they have done her more good than all of the medicine I bought before.—SAMUEL BOYER, Folsom, Iowa. This medicine is for sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson. Samples free.

Widow, Not Wife, at Ill Man's Bedside.

Mount Clemens, Mich., July 2.—It is not Mrs. Dolly Logan Tucker who is the watchful nurse at Colonel W. C. Tucker's bedside, but another woman, Mrs. Myrtle Platt, widow of Captain Ralph Platt. Colonel Tucker, who lies hovering between life and death, has submitted to an operation by which his weight was reduced eighty pounds. With him also is his sister, Mrs. J. P. Johnson.

Before the colonel collapsed at Mount Clemens, Mrs. Platt came here and procured a cottage for him. "I am here," said Mrs. Platt, "as Mrs. Johnson's guest. Why I am here other than that I can see no reason why the public should be interested. No, at this time I can make no statement as to our position with reference to Mrs. John A. Logan's charges that I have been friendly with her son-in-law."

ENGINEER KILLED BY BOY.

Engineer B. M. Stultz, aged 40, of the Seaboard Air Line, whose wife and eight children live at Roanoke, Va., was shot, and died at Raleigh, N. C., at 3:30 o'clock yesterday morning. A pistol bullet severed an artery in his left leg and he bled to death. He had prepared to take out his engine, and within twenty minutes after leaving the train order room he staggered back into it, fell to the floor, and died, refusing to tell how he was shot or by whom.

Turner Smith, a 19-year-old boy, living within two blocks of the station, was arrested, charged with the killing. Before the coroner's jury last night Smith testified that some man about 11 o'clock Tuesday night peeped through the blinds while Smith's 17-year-old sister was undressing. The girl awoke her brother, and the man fled. About 1 o'clock a man came again through a side gate to the window, and young Smith, who was awake, shot again at a man, who disappeared. A few moments afterward Stultz was dying in the train room. A pistol was found in his overalls pocket.

Mrs. Smith, her daughter and son testified that they did not know Stultz.

The coroner's jury adjourned until today for further investigation.

About two years ago Stultz was convicted at Monroe, N. C., of a somewhat similar offense. He was fined $350.

CARD FROM HARRY KRAMER.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

I suppose you have heard of myself and a lady from the Buffalo Bill show, who arrived in town yesterday. This lady is to take part in my bicycle act at the state and county fairs in various parts of the United States. I am now practicing with her and framing up the act to be produced at the fairs. I have not been living with my wife for a long time, she having instituted a divorce against me some weeks ago. My wife has not performed with me for years, and my act calls for lady riders. I am paying the wife $15 per week alimony. Yesterday she made a criminal attack upon miss Lole B. Parr, who was with me. She is from Cheyenne, Wyoming—a western woman. The scene occured on the corner of Prince and Royal streets at the Mount Vernon station. My wife tackled this lady but she did not frighten this girl at all. She is not the kind to be frightened. I think she has no right to annoy us after I have been paying her alimony and she suing me for a divorce. I have not lived with her for a year, and I can't take any more such receptions from her as the one last night. Its no use for her to be fooling with me like that, as I am done with her hereafter and have one now that can ride a bike like she did the bucking broncho with the Buffalo Bill show. I intend to pay her $15 per week hereafter, but she must not bother or annoy us in such a fashion as she did last night. It was a bad predicament to get into. For awhile I thought the cops would get us all and put us in the calaboose. Enough said.

HARRY KRAMER.

[COMMUNICATED.

A TAXPAYER'S QUERIES.

Why do two-thirds of the taxpayers have to pay for a pair of horses, a driver, a sweeper and a sprinkler that they never see? Why not hire another driver and pair of horses, and give each taxpayer his or her share of what he or she pays for?

Whose duty is it to look after the gutters? Each year some street is improved, and while that is being done, the alleys and gutters of the greater part of our city are growing up in grass and reeking in filth. How can the city officials expect property holders, whose tenants move on account of filthy gutters, to have the money to pay their taxes? The conditions are such, that the writer would suggest that the mayor hire a carriage at the city's expense, take with him Mr. Strauss and any other member of the City Council, who was on the grand jury, go into every alley and street; and if those men don't find, in our filthy gutters and grass-grown alleys—where all kind of refuse is thrown—a greater menace to a far greater number of lives than they found in the condemned school building, then the writer has made a great mistake. Let the observations of these men be reported to council, and some action be taken.

A SUFFERER.

Who has made many appeals, to many officials, without any redress.

Over Thirty-five Years.

In 1872 there was a great deal of diarrhoea, dysentery and cholera infantum. It was at this time that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was first brought into use. It proved more successful than any other remedy or treatment, and has for thirty-five years maintained that record. From a small beginning its sale and use has extended to every part of the United States and to many foreign countries. Nine druggists out of ten will recommend it when their opinion is asked, although they have other medicines that pay them a greater profit. It can always be depended upon, even in the most severe and dangerous cases. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, LILLIAN B. McKENNEY, who died July 2, 1907—one year ago today.

God called her home, it was His will;
But in our hearts we love her still.
Her memory is as dear today
As in the hour she passed away.
We shall meet her some bright morning,
Resting by the water fair;
She is waiting for our coming
In the upper garden there.

BY THE FAMILY.

SAYS WOMAN TAUGHT HER TO STEAL.

"She taught me to steal. She showed me how to slip my arms through a basement grating, pull the lock back and rob all the houses. Yes, I stole every day and got lots of nice things. She sold them all. She's to blame." Many persons in the Lee avenue police court in New York yesterday shed tears as Annie Wilson, nine-years-old, shrilled out this denunciation against Mrs. Julia Campbell who is accused of receiving the goods the child stole in raids on more than fifty houses. Emaciated, almost tottering from starvation the child made her accusation and the woman shrank back as the black-circled eyes of the child looked out at her from the wizened face. The child was remanded to the custody of the Children Society and Mrs. Campbell was held for trial on complaint of larceny. The child, who is homeless, was captured only after she had looted the homes of many wealthy persons, carrying away her plunder in a baby carriage.

INDEPENDENCE DAY.

John Adams was responsible for the noise of Independence Day, but he intended that this celebration should be held on the 2d and not the 4th of July, for it was on the 2d of July, 1776, that the resolution of independence was really adopted. The next day, July 3, John Adams, in a letter to his wife, wrote:

"The 2d of July will be the most memorable epoch in the history of America. I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great anniversary festival."

Every schoolboy and schoolgirl has been taught that the declaration of Independence was signed on July 4 by the members of the Continental Congress, but the journal of that body shows that the original Fourth Congress finally adopted the amended copy of Jefferson's draft of the form announcing to the world the fact that independence had been declared, on the 2d. Thus independence was not declared, nor was the declaration signed on the Fourth of July, the day we celebrate.

STARVED HIMSELF TO DEATH.

Kidnappers who, according to letters received in New York, are holding Meyer Newman captive for a $10,000 ransom, yesterday sent a letter to the man's home in which they declare he is dead. It is worded as follows:

"Sir—We have received word from our agent that Newman died and had been buried at sea. He starved himself to death. We regret his loss as we lose our $10,000 ransom. He died fifty miles from Santiago, Cuba.—B. H."

Newman disappeared last month and his wife's death being feared as a result relatives had begun negotiations for his ransom.

Three death were reported in New York today from heat and intense humidity.

LEAGUE BASEBALL GAMES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Philadelphia, 9; Washington, 0.
Cleveland, 7; St. Louis, 1.
Boston, 4; New York, 3.
Detroit, 3; Chicago, 1.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Cleveland	38	26	.594	Phila'phia	32	31	.508
St. Louis	38	27	.5 5	Boston	30	37	.448
Chicago	36	29	.554	New York	26	37	.413
Detroit	35	29	.547	Wash'n	22	41	.349

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 1.
Boston, 14; Philadelphia, 5.
Brooklyn, 4; New York, 0.
Chicago, 5; Cincinnati, 1.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Pittsburg	40	24	.625	Phila'phia	27	30	474
Chicago	38	23	.623	Boston	29	37	439
New York	7	28	.563	St. Louis	24	40	375
Cincinnati	34	31	.523	Brooklyn	23	39	371

Fearing that the efforts of his uncle, Zelles-Sultan, in fomenting another rebellion against the throne will be successful, the shah of Persia, has placed the seal of death against him and has sent word throughout the empire to arrest him at any price.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is especially good for piles. Recommended and sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

4th OF July

With the memories which hallow the day is nearly here and the entire country will make merry We are neither prophets nor the sons of prophets, but we do predict a continuation of this warm weather and we are inclined to the belief, such prediction being almost assured, that all of you need a

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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 2, 1908

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:38 and set at 7:29. High water at 10:57 a. m. and 11:27 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section local rains tonight or Friday, not so warm Friday; light to fresh southerly winds.

CASE COMPROMISED.

The will contest case of the heirs of Samuel Beach against Annie E Cranford came up in the Circuit Court for this city today before Judge J. B. T. Thornton. The object of the suit was to break the will of the late John S. Beach, for many years clerk of the Corporation Court. The deceased left his estate, valued at about $25,000, to his two aunts, Lucy and Helen C. Cranford, both of whom have since died. Before their death, however, his nephews and nieces brought suit to set aside the will, which suit has been pending for some time. Today a compromise was reached and a jury, by agreement, brought in a verdict sustaining the validity of the will. The basis of the compromise was not made public.

Later in the day Samuel M. Arnell and others entered suit against Annie E. Cranford and others, beneficiaries under the will of the late John S. Beach, to set aside a certain deed for property conveyed by Lucy and Helen C. Cranford to N. S. Greenaway, trustee, on the ground that Lucy and Helen C. Cranford were not competent to make a deed. This brings another issue into the case.

ANXIOUS PARENTS.

As was stated in the Gazette, the remains of the unknown youth who was struck by an engine and killed near Spring Park last Sunday night were yesterday turned over to the coroner of Alexandria county and in the afternoon the interment took place.

Since the finding of the body and the publication of all that could be learned concerning the unfortunate boy dispatches and letters have been received in this city asking for descriptions of the dead youth.

Chief Goods, of the police force, yesterday afternoon received a telegram from C. A. Black, Charlotte, N. C., asking for a description of the dead boy. A telephone message was also received last night from Danville, giving a description of a lad missing from that city. It did not, however, tally with the description of the dead boy.

Chief Goods this morning received a letter from Mrs. E. A. Lindsey, of Richmond, asking for a description of the unfortunate youth.

INSTALLATIONS.

The following officers of Samaarian Lodge, No. 27, Order of Rebecca, were installed at Odd Fellows' Hall last night by Mrs. J. H. Mansfield, the district deputy of the organization: Mrs. W. S. Cash, noble grand; Mrs. Robert Porter Evans, vice noble grand; Mrs. A. P. Anderson, chaplain; Mrs. William Hinkes, secretary; William Martin, financial secretary, and Mrs. John Watkins, treasurer.

The following officers of Alexandria Council, Junior Order of United Americans, will be installed tonight by Deputy State Councilor O. H. Daniels: William Robinson, councilor; William Crump, vice councilor; J. R. Mansfield, recording secretary; F. W. Ebhardt, assistant recording secretary; J. W. Wills, financial secretary; G. H. McAtee, treasurer; Frank Glasgow, conductor; C. E. Butler, warden; Gordon Snellings, inside guard; W. H. Puryer, outside guard, and J. H. Trimyer, trustee.

CIDER AND VINEGAR COMPANY

The Semmes-Board Cider and Vinegar Company, which recently took charge of the large brick building at the northeast corner of Prince and Union streets, is placing the structure in order for the purposes of the company. Concrete floors are being laid and other improvements made. The company expect to occupy the premises in about two weeks. The entire building will be utilized, and the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company, which now occupy the east front, will construct an office on their wharf at the foot of Prince street. The Semmes-Board Company will employ about 50 persons. Champagne cider and vinegar will be manufactured and the output will be about 400 barrels in 24 hours. It is the intention of the company to expand the plant in the near future.

RUNAWAY HORSE.

The horse attached to a wagon belonging to Mr. J. W Gaines, of Fairfax county, ran away on King street yesterday afternoon. Mr. Gaines's twelve-year-old son was seated in the vehicle at the time, and while the horse was rushing madly through the street the youngster was endeavoring to reach the bridle in order to bring it to a stop. When the runaway reached the interesection of King and Columbus streets the wagon collided with a buggy in which a colored woman was seated. The buggy was considerably damaged, and the occupant painfully injured. At this juncture young Gaines managed to get on the horse's back from which position he secured the bridle and stopped the runaway.

WOMAN CAUSES EXCITEMENT.

Considerable excitement was caused in the vicinity of Royal street station of the electric railway last night by a woman whose husband was in the company of another female, whom, it was said, he was about to accompany to Washington. The neglected wife was bitter in her denunciation of her rival and equally positive in upbraiding her husband. Among other things she said one of her children was dangerously ill and liable to be dead by morning. The husband allowed his companion to proceed to Washington alone. A card from the man in the case appears elsewhere in the Gazette.

Several new members were elected at a meeting of the Old Dominion Boat Club last night.

Kennedy's Laxaive Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

$2.50, $3, and $3.50 Ladies' Shoes, in black and tan, low and high cuts mostly small sizes, offered for a few day only at 79 cents. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

CORPORATION COURT.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

Rosa Bott vs. Henrietta Jenkins et al.; decree confirming report of H. N. Garner, special commissioner, and also for sale.

M. Creegan vs. W., A. & Mt. V. Ry. Co., a damage suit; jury and case in progress. The evidence, which in the main was the same as that taken at the coroner's inquest in May, 1907, at the time of the accident, was concluded today after which arguments on the instructions were heard. The case may go to the jury this evening.

PARDONED.

Gov. Swanson has pardoned Harry Smith, who was sentenced by the Corporation Court of this city to serve one year in jail. Smith was convicted at the March term of the court. He had been arrested on the charge of being a party to the larceny of a hog belonging to James Patterson. Smith is said to be in ill-health. The theft of the hog occurred a short distance from this city, and the plunder was carried to a shop near the union depot, the proprietor of which purchased it. He, too, was arrested and sentenced to a term in jail.

RESULT OF ADVERTISING.

The fire sale advertised by the Lozano Dry Goods Company to commence at 9 o'clock this morning on north Fairfax street, brought as many people to the building as attended the moving picture exhibitions at the same place last winter. Numbers of ladies were on the pavement before the appointed hour, and a few minutes after the doors were opened the store became densely packed with females searching for bargains. The clerks have been kept busy all day waiting on customers and exhibiting goods.

ALEXANDRIA AMUSEMENT CO.

Notwithstanding the sweltering heat of these summer nights crowds throng to this place of amusement and are highly entertained. The gentlemen who comprise this company have gone to considerable expense in giving the people first class entertainment at an admission fee within the reach of all. In addition they have provided electric fans for the convenience of their patrons. They are enterprising men and deserve to be patronized. Good show tonight, as will be seen by the advertisement on this page.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

There was but one case before the Police Court this morning. Officer Sherwood had arrested William Craig, colored, who had discharged a pistol in the street. He was fined $2 50.

The police have received orders to stop all premature celebrations of the Fourth of July, and the use of explosives of all sorts is forbidden.

STRUCK BY MISSILE.

Mrs. B. R. Cline was struck by a missile and seriously injured while in the yard of her residence on north Fairfax street late yesterday afternoon. She was knocked down and rendered unconscious, and Dr. Moore was summoned. The missile was evidently thrown from a neighboring yard, but all efforts to identify the person who hurled it have, so far, proven futile.

RIVER NOTES.

The British steamship Nanetta, which recently carried a cargo of guano to Washington, anchored off this port late yesterday evening. She proceeded down the river this morning.

The sloop E. A. Cronwell, loaded with building material by Smoot & Co., has sailed for Edgewater.

Boy's Life Saved.

My little boy, four years old, had a severe attack of dysentery. We had two physicians; both of them gave him up. We then gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy which cured him and believe that it saved his life.—William H. Strolling, Carbon Hill, Ala. There is no doubt that this remedy saves the lives of many children each year. Give it with castor oil according to the plain printed directions and a cure is certain. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

Fourth of July coming on Saturday, our store will keep open Friday night and close Saturday at 12 o'clock. Howell, The Hatter.

NOTICE—Our store will be open till a late hour Friday night, but will be closed at noon on Saturday.

J. A. MARSHALL & BRO.

NOTICE.

The market will be closed at 3 o'clock p. m SATURDAY, July 4. L. D LYLES,
jy2 2t Market Master.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., July 2, 1908.
SATURDAY, July 4th, Independence Day, being a legal holiday, this bank will be closed. GEO. E. WARFIELD,
jy2 2t Cashier.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., July 2, 1908.
SATURDAY, July 4th, Independence Day, being a legal holiday, this bank will be closed. RICHARD M. GREEN,
jy2 2t Cashier.

NOTICE—COAL AT BOTTOM SUMMER PRICES.

Take advantage of the low price and buy your coal before the advance. Will be pleased to have your order now. Both 'phones.

DEW. AITCHESON,
apr22 107 South Royal street.

Another Place to Eat.

THE FAIRFAX CAFE.

Merchants' Lunch from 12 to 2.

25c.

Soup—Vermicelli.
Meats—
Lamb Chops.
Breaded Green Peas.
Vegetables—
New Potatoes.
New Beets.
Corn on cob.
Dessert—Watermelon or Pie.
Iced Tea. Milk. Coffee.

Dinner from 3 to 7 p. m.

35c.

Soups—Vermicelli.
Meats—
Roast Beef, with Brown Gravy.
Roast of Veal, Tomato Sauce.
Vegetables—
New Potatoes.
New Beets.
Corn on Cob.
Peach Moulard.
Dessert—
Peaches and Cream,
Watermelon.
Pie.
Iced Tea. Milk. Coffee.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Harvey Poss, who was injured in Philadelphia several days ago by falling down a flight of stairs, has returned to his home in this city.

Mrs. H. H. Newton and son, Charles Hammond Newton left last night for Charleston, W. Va., where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Stout and Miss Etcille L. Beach left this morning for Atlantic City. They will also visit other points in New Jersey.

Mr. J. T. Nalls has returned from a visit to Loudoun county.

Mr. John Hepburn is quite sick at his home, No. 425 Queen street.

Miss Mary Mercer Schofield will leave tomorrow for Cornell University, to take the summer course.

Mrs. Wilkins, wife of Dr. R. L. Wilkins, who has recently been in Columbia Hospital, Washington, was brought to her home today. Her condition has improved.

Mr. Scott Gillingham, who was recently gored by a bull near his home in Fairfax county and who has been at the Alexandria Hospital under treatment, has sufficiently recovered to be able to return to his home at Woodlawn, to the delight of his many friends.

Councilman Louis Brill and a few friends who have been to Annapolis for a few days have returned. While in Annapolis Mr. Brill made arrangements with a large dealer to send daily to the Opera House Cafe the most select crabs caught in Maryland waters.

Fourth of July coming on Saturday, our store will keep open Friday night and close Saturday at 12 o'clock. Howell, The Hatter.

You don't have to go to Washington for all the new dainty features in fine footwear. Look our stock over and be convinced. We have all the new styles. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The old residence on Prince street near Patrick on the site of which a new school building is to be erected has been razed.

The bridges on Janney's Hill on the road between this city and the Theological Seminary, are in bad condition and need immediate repair.

There was a well-attended meeting of the Columbia Fire Company last night, at which two new members were elected and two applications received.

Much complaint is made by the residents thereabouts at a pile of rubbish which was deposited on Lee street between King and Prince streets several days ago is still allowed to remain there.

Four canary birds belonging to Mr. G. E. Price escaped yesterday afternoon from a cage at his residence on north Fairfax street. Later one of them was captured in the Police Court room by Mr. R. I. Latham.

Hugo Herfurth has at his cigar and tobacco store, Nos. 1012 and 1014 King street, one of the largest stocks of fireworks in the city. In his assortment will be found large airships. He sent one up yesterday morning which attracted considerable attentions as it passed in a northwestly direction over the city.

A puzzling thing happened on the last Fourth of July. A party of picnickers went on an excursion. Two persons did the buying for the party. One bought the "Auth" products and the other bought a cheaper grade.

On their return they said they were compelled to throw away the cheap stuff and had to rely on the Auth food for sustenance. Now the puzzling thing is Why will people buy cheap and inferior food when they can get "Auths?" Sylvan Blondheim, The Auth Stand, City Market.

Mr. B. A. Travers will have for sale in market tomorrow a fine assortment of Salt Water Trout, Mackerel, and Crab Meat.

Select Annapolis Hard Shell Crabs, 40c per dozen at the Opera House Cafe.

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar5 tf

Miners Perish.

Yusovke, Russia, July 2.—More than one hundred miners are believed to have lost their lives in a gas explosion in the Rikevsky coal mines near here. Details of the explosion are leaking, but is believed that all the men in one of the galleries were killed. Over 500 men are employed in the mine.

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Photo-Era for July.

With the July issue Photo-Era begins its twenty-first volume. It appears in a new dress consisting of two tones of gray, the effect being harmonious and in very good taste. The principal feature of the current number is the work of the Buffalo Camera Club, one of the foremost photographic organizations in the East. There is a wealth of beautiful illustrations showing what these camerists are doing and a critique of the pictures by Phil M. Riley.

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street nov21 tf

LOST.

LOST.—On Sunday a GOLD STICK PIN made from a gold dollar and with monogram "S." on it. Finder will leave it at this office and receive reward.

LOST—Lost Sunday on the telegraph road running parallel with Hayfield farm a BIBLE, with several names on flyleaf. Suitable reward for its return to C. K. HOBBS, R. F. D. No. 2, Alexandria. july1 3t

Fire Works.

Largest Stock in the City.

LOWEST PRICES
ALL FRESH GOODS

Something entirely new in 1c, 5c and 10c Novelties. Best imported

Chinese Fire Crackers
Shooting Matches
Son-of-a-Guns
Balloons
Pistols, Airships, Etc.

Beautiful Illuminating Pieces from 1c to $1.00.

Hugo Herfurth
1012-1014 King Street.
jy2 2t

Notice to Farmers.

Farmers please notice that the Osborne Mowers, Binders and Tillage Goods, as well as repairs, have been transferred by the International Harvester Company of America to us

MYERS BROTHERS, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

We will carry a full line of repairs, and you will also find our place of business open and ready to take care of your wants.

Come and see us before buying mowers, rakes, grain and corn harvesters, as well as peg, spring and disk harrows and cultivators.

We are here to do what is right by you, and if you need anything in our line—such as Osborne harvesting machinery and tillage goods—we will keep a complete stock of repairs.

may29 3m MYERS BROTHERS

Do You Want a Diamond.

Why not get one? It not only shows exceedingly good taste to wear a Diamond, but it's a good investment at the same time.

A good Diamond never loses its lustre nor its value. On the other hand stones gain in brilliancy and have been known to double in value.

A savings bank pays you 3 per cent. Diamonds average from 10 to 15 per cent. on the investment.

Lets talk it over.

Saunders & Son, 629 King Street.

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BEST FOR BISCUITS

YOUR GROCER KNOWS.

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Entire Change Tonight.

AN ANIMATED DOLL
PERFUMED
Astrakhan Fisheries
A NEW MAID

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS.

Open evenings, July 2nd to July 4th, inclusive.

Fire Works.

For the greater convenience of our customers we have put a 25c and 50c assortment of Fire Works.

Contents of 25c assortment—1 box Colored Fire, 1 Salute, 1 Vesuvius Fountain, 1 Snake Nest, 1 package Torpedoes, 1 Devil Chaser, 1 Pin Wheel, 1 Grass Hopper, 1 Corn Flower, 1 Silver Rain, 1 Sparker, 2 4-ball Roman Candles, 1 1-ounce Sky Rocket, 1 5c package best Fire Crackers, 2 boxes Caps, 1 Cap Exploder, 1 box Shooting Matches, 1 piece Punk

Contents of 50c assortment—1 Vesuvius Fountain, 1 Snake Nest, 2 package Torpedoes, 1 Devil Chaser, 1 Pin Wheel, 1 Grass Hopper, 1 Corn Flower, 1 Silver Rain, 1 Sparker, 2 4-ball Roman Candles, 3 6-ball Roman Candles, 5 boxes Colored Fire, 1 3-ounce Sky Rocket, 1 package best Fire Crackers, 1 package Salutes, 1 Cap Exploding Cane, 5 boxes large Caps, 1 box Shooting Matches, 1 piece Punk.

ELLIOTT'S,
Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

Where Quality is Paramount

How are you going to celebrate The Glorious Fourth?

If you're going picnicing and want to put up the kind of basket that will make your friends envious, just come to

"The Auth Stand"

FOR

The Auth Products

"They're Simply Delicious

Our Hams, Our Bacon,
Our Shoulders, Our Sausages.

Our best advertisements are always our customers. They invariably tell their friends about how delicious are the Auth products. We want you to understand that:

The Auth Brand on Hams is similar to the sterling mark on silver.

Among the things you'll want for your picnic basket we'll just mention:

Our Cooked Tongue Our Cooked Ham
Our Cooked Corned Beef Our Ham Bologna
Our Summer Bologna Our Pickled Lamb Tongues
Our Chicken Loaf Our Veal Loaf
Our Ham Loaf Our Sweet Pickles (in bulk)
Our Queen Olives " "
Our Stuffed Olives " "

And last, but not least,

Our Schweitzerkase.

The very first thing that will come to your mind when you fix your basket will be your Schweitzer Cheese Sandwiches. Of course you'll want the best. That's understood. For the real imported kind come to us—

Only 35c per Pound.

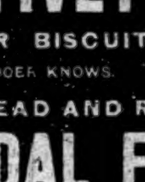
If you can't come—Phone. We'd be delighted.

S. BLONDHEIM, CITY MARKET.
Bell Phone 225.

A good thing to use after washing your hair—NICKLIN'S HAIR TONIC, 25 cents. Manufactured by
E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS

Ten gross Quart Porcelain Lined FRUIT JARS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.



Our Store Will Close Saturday at 12 o'clock Noon.

D. BENDHEIM AND SONS,
316 King Street.
BELL 'PHONE. HOME 'PHONE

W. E. EBERHART
Photographer,
212 Duke St.....Alexandria, Va.
Bell Phone 282-L.

Avoid the trouble and inconvenience of going to the photographer to sit for a picture: let the photographer come to you. Send for EBERHART.
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WANTED.

20 TEAMS to haul brick from our yard to Alexandria, $4.00 per day.

Apply at our yard.

Brickhaven, Alexandria county, Va.
W. T. WALKER BRICK CO.
je30 3t

THE members of POTOMAC LODGE, No. 3, I. O. O. F., are requested to attend a meeting of the Lodge on FRIDAY, July 3, when the newly elected officers will be installed by D. D.G.M. Geo. W. Hawxhurst. Refreshments will be served.

By order of the lodge.
je30 3t W. A. CONWAY, R. S.

CEYLON TEAS. Extra fine Ceylon Teas, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Lots Ready for Sale
IN
Rosemont

New residence section at head of King Street will have full city improvements

WATER GAS SEWERS

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The owners will build you a house on plans of your own choosing.

Discount for Cash Easy Terms

Property to be carefully restricted to insure high class residence section.

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$595,925.67	Capital	$100,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00	Surplus	50,000 00
Bonds to secure U. S. Deposit	53,000.00	Undivided Profits	62,445.94
Other Bonds and Stocks	25,611.56	Circulation	96,550 00
Banking House & Real Estate	52,856.97	Deposits	605,337.96
Cash 42,434.75		U. S. Deposits	50,000,00
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents 94,504.95			964,333.90
	136,939.70		
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BURKE'S

Guinness's Stout

It assimilates perfectly with any kind of food and greatly aids digestion.

Pint Bottles - - 25 cents
Half pint bottles . 15 cents

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Come and see this new subdivision near Mount Vernon. Large building lots in fine oak grove half mile from station. Frequent trains and low commutation rates. Call at Mount Vernon lunch room or address

J. N. GIBBS
Mount Vernon, Va.
je23 1w*

NOTICE.

All Union Stores will keep open FRIDAY NIGHT, July 3, and close at 12 m, SATURDAY, July 4th.
je29 5t

JEWELERS.

FREQUENTLY you miss a train or an appointment that is important by less than a minute.

Our Precision Watch

keeps you time posted and saves you this annoyance.

R. C. Acton & Sons,
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No interruption to business while repairs are going on. je22 1m

Notice to the Public.

I take this method of thanking my many friends for the liberal patronage they have extended me during the forty-six years I have conducted business in Alexandria. The business will in the future be conducted by my son, Thomas C. Hoy, who will devote his entire attention to it, and I trust he will receive the encouragement which has been accorded me. All outstanding bills will be paid him. A large and varied assortment of tinware, stoves and other housekeeping articles will be kept on hand, and all work in the tinning line will receive prompt attention.

Respectfully, THOMAS HOY.
ju'y1 1w

NOTICE.

Our store will close Saturday at 3 p. m.

L. Shuman & Son.
je30 4t

GROCERIES.

Ramsay Sells the Best.

3 KITS
Shad Roe
$3.50 Each.

G. Wm. Ramsay.

WHEAT BERRIES

7 cents a package.

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230 Dozen.

C. & C. Belfast,
Mechlenburg,
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Clicquot,
Hire's,
Gosman's,
Crystal.

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Potomac Family
Roe Herring

Price's Packing

40 Barrels
50 Halves
25 Quarters
75 Kits
25 Pails Herring Roe
25 Cases Canned Herring Roe.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

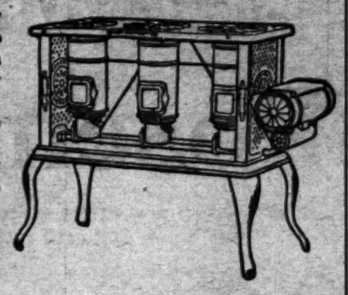
I will offer for sale at auction, in front of the Market House, on Royal street, at 12 o'clock,

MONDAY, JULY 6th, 1908,

that 3 story BRICK BUILDING known as 607 King street, Alexandria, Va., lot 20x166 feet. A good business property.

je29 1w R. F. KNOX.

Put This Stove in Your Kitchen



It is wonderfully convenient to do kitchen work on a stove that's ready at the instant wanted, and out of the way the moment you're done. Such a stove is the New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove. By using it you avoid the continuous overpowering heat of a coal fire and cook with comfort, even in dog-days. The

NEW PERFECTION
Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

is so constructed that it cannot add perceptibly to the heat of a room; the flame being directed up a retaining chimney to the stove top where it is needed for cooking. You can see that a stove sending out heat in but *one* direction would be preferable on a hot day to a stove radiating heat in *all* directions. The "New Perfection" keeps a kitchen uniformly comfortable. Three sizes, fully warranted. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

The **Rayo Lamp** is the ideal lamp for family use—safe, convenient, economical and a great light giver. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

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Opening of the Season
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DELICIOUS DEVILED CRABS
STEAMED HARD SHELL CRABS
Little Neck Clams — Cherrystone Oysters
Clams in All Styles — Oysters in All Styles
SALADS
FRIED OYSTERS A SPECIALTY.
RAMMEL CAFES. Both 'Phones.

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B. BAER, Jr.
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Liabilities.

Capital	$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	185,790 47
Circulation	100,000 00
Deposits	744,667 84
U. S. Deposits	51,152 96
Other Liabilities	2,051 14
	$1,183,662.41

Resources.

Loans and Investments	$820,006 79
U. S. Bonds	152,000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	3,000 00
Banking House and Real Estate	26,001 28
Cash	47,961 09
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents	129,693 25
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund	5,000 00
	$1,183,662 41

CORDIAL INVITATION

Is extended to all who wish to open personal, professional, business, trustee or corporation accounts.

The same care is given to the smallest account as to the largest.

Drafts issued DIRECT on all parts of the world.

Investments and collections made.

An attractive rate of interest paid in our SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

Depositors in the Savings Department of the Alexandria National Bank are requested to bring their books in and have their interest due April 1, 1908, credited therein.

Others who have not opened account with our Savings Department are invited to open accounts and note how rapidly their funds will increase by regular deposit and interest earned.

Alexandria National Bank,
CORNER OF KING AND ROYAL STREETS,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 16th day of June, 1908.

Mildred F. Hatchett vs. Wiley R. Hatchett } In chancery.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant, Wiley R. Hatchett

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Wiley R. Hatchett, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Howard W. Smith, P. Q. je16 w4wtu

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THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 2 1908

The Romance of Buried Pictures.

A romantic story of a picture purchased at a London auction which on expert examination proved to be painted over a Rembrandt worth £8,000 is curiously reminiscent of the discovery of a Correggio under similar circumstances. A good many years ago two picture restorers, Lovera and Hunterspergh, bought at an art sale in Rome a number of old pictures in order to provide themselves with canvases for repainting. In the division of the spoils Hunterspergh received an indifferent picture of flowers, on which he painted a study of a head. This picture he offered to Lovera, who on close examination found that the new ground scaled off and that underneath were traces of a figure painted in a style that denoted the hand of a master. Replacing the scales and concealing his discovery, he purchased the picture for little more than the value of the canvas. Removing the two grounds, he disclosed an exceedingly clever painting by Correggio, which he sold to the Earl of Bristol for £1,500.—Dundee Advertiser.

Dogs of Luxury.

The appearance of little dogs as objects of luxury goes back to the most ancient times. Documents are not wanting that go to show that Greek and Roman women had little dogs which were idolized by their mistresses. Even men, particularly among foreigners, were not ashamed to walk the streets of Rome with pet dogs under their arms. Speaking of this subject, Plutarch relates that Julius Caesar, seeing one day in Rome some strangers thus loaded with their dogs, asked them ironically whether the women of their country did not bear children. Tertia, the daughter of Lucius Aurelius Paulus, was so fond of her dog that in the moment of bidding farewell to her father, who was about to leave his country and his family to wage war against Perseus, king of Macedonia, she frankly admitted that the sadness imprinted on her face was due to the death of her pet dog Persa. In Europe the greyhounds were the first favorites of women during the middle ages.—Boston Post.

Too Much of a Good Thing.

George Marshall, a philanthropist who always kept a sharp lookout never to be wasteful, decided to go for a week's camping, taking as his guests some ragged street urchins. One morning he used the bits of meat left from the evening before and made hash for breakfast. There was some left over, which he concluded to reheat and serve again at noon.

"Johnnie, will you have some hash?" he asked one lad.

"Bet your life," replied the lad, who was constitutionally hungry.

"Peter, pass your plate for some hash"—to another freckled nosed lad.

"Not if I knows it," was the unexpected reply.

"I thought you liked hash from the way you ate it this morning," replied Mr. Marshall.

"I did like it for breakfast," said the lad, "but none of yer review of reviews for me for dinner."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Sided With Father.

"There is a little chap in our town," said the suburbanite, "whose father and mother have words quite frequently, and have them loud enough to be heard by the neighbors. The burden of their recriminations when audible is, on the wife's part, that she ever lowered the Hicks family sufficiently to marry a Stubbs, and on his part that he ever honored the Hicks family by allying it with the house of Stubbs.

"One day last summer the young son of the house went fishing. He had barely got his line into the brook when he heard his mother calling him.

"'There it is,' said he disgustedly; 'the minute the Stubbses begin to fish the Hickses begin to holler.'"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Lesson in Thrift.

A lesson in thrift is found in the advice given by Congressman John E. Andrus to a young man for whom he had secured a minor appointment in the capitol at Washington. Meeting the young fellow in the capitol, he placed a hand on his shoulder and remarked:

"William, you are just beginning your life. Let me give you a bit of sound advice: When you leave your boarding house in the morning never take more than 80 cents in your pockets, enough perhaps for your luncheon and for car fare. You will then not be tempted to spend more than you can afford."—Yonkers Statesman.

Unchanging Man.

Mortal man offers but little difference in spite of the diversity of race and climate, and in analyzing the Egyptian we almost find ourselves reproduced. Intellectual man also manifests a singular identity of aspiration and belief from the Nile to the Ganges and from the Eurotas to the Arno.—Mercure de France.

Some Grains of Luck.

"Is your husband having any luck at the race track?"

"Some luck," answered young Mrs. Torkins. "He hasn't caught cold nor had his pockets picked."—Washington Star.

A True Patriot.

"Johnny, what's a patriot?"

"A boy who'd radder miss seein' de game dan go in on a ball knocked over de fence by de visitin' team."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Not Entirely One.

"And so they were made one."

"Oh, I don't know. I believe she still has a mind of her own."

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold of Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Rodney, Ga., Aug., 2, 1906" Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

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DISTRIBUTING BUREAU.

Through the Department of Commerce and Labor and the Postoffice Department, Secretary Straus and Postmaster General Meyer have inaugurated a plan of service which will relieve farmers and others in this country from further embarrassment in the matter of procuring adequate help. The details are being promulgated through the Division of Information, Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization, Department of Commerce and Labor, and Assistant Postmaster General DeGraw, through the Rural Delivery Service.

The plan is original to this country and contemplates a general distribution of admitted aliens and other persons seeking employment. In that view, there are being forwarded to postmasters throughout the United States, packages of cards, with return attachments, for distribution to farmers and others who are likely to need the services of farm and common laborers, or mechanics, and who may obtain the character of help required by mailing the return information card, properly filled out, without payment of postage.

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BIG APPROPRIATIONS.

The Russia Douma adopted Tuesday the bill introduced by the minister of war, authorizing the expenditure of $46,000,000 for the completion of army supplies and material. The appropriation will be devoted almost exclusively to the military needs of Transbaikalia, the construction of fortifications at Vladivostok and barracks at several centres with the best available artillery equipment.

The War Office also obtained the Douma's tentative approval of its programme for the expenditure of a further $100,000,000 in 1909-11, for the same purpose, together with the estimated expenses of building the Amoor railroad. The Douma already has given its consent to the expenditure of more than $300,000,000 to assure the defense of Russia's far eastern possessions.

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Proposals must be addressed to Mr. Chas. M. Robison, architect, and placed in the hands of Dr. Wm. M. Smith, chairman of the building committee of the Alexandria School Board. Drawings and specifications can be had from Dr. Wm. M. Smith, 207 south Washington street. The building committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to accept any bid that may seem best to the interest of the School Board, and reserve the right to extend the time of receiving bids.

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MEETINGS.

THE GRANT MANUFACTURING COMPANY, June 8th 1908.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Grant Manufacturing Company will be held at its office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, July 8th, 1908, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and transaction of such other business as may be presented.

The Grant Manufacturing Company,
FRANKLIN BROOKS, Secretary.
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INTERNATIONAL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION, of Washington, D. C. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the International Building and Loan Association, of Washington, D. C., will be held at the office of Judge J. K. M. Norton, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., at 10:45 a. m. WEDNESDAY, July 22, 1908, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other appropriate business. CHAS. LYMAN, President.
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Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 25, 11 25 a. m., 12 25, 1 25, 2 25, 3 32, 4 36, 5 35, 7 05 and 8 46 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 46 and 10 16 p. m.

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SOUTHBOUND.

Leave Spring Park 8 05, 8 30, 8 55, 9 35, 10 10, 10 45, 11 20 a. m; 12 15, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50 2 30, 3 15, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 30, 6 05, 6 50, 7 25, 8 10, 8 45, 9 25, 10 00 p. m.

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